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O. F. Beal, Mineral Point.
TIME FOR HOLDING COURTS.
Circuit court—1st Monday in March and 4th Monday in August.
County court—1st Monday in February, May, August and November.
Probate court—2nd Monday in February, May, August and November.
Due notice of special terms will be given whenever announced.

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Trains stop at Mineral Point, as follows:
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No. 23, Little Rock Local, 10:38 a.m.
" 1, Texas Express, 4:30 p.m.
GOING NORTH.
No. 8, Memphis Express, 5:38 a.m.
" 26, Local Express, 8:53 a.m.
" 2, St. Louis Local, 2:15 p.m.

Potosi Branch.

GOING SOUTH.		
STATIONS.	841	843
Mineral Point	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Potosi	6:20 a.m.	6:20 p.m.
GOING NORTH.		
STATIONS.	840	842
Potosi	5:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Mineral Point	5:55 a.m.	5:55 p.m.
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. A. Mutsch of Hopewell was in town Monday.

Mr. S. S. Paul, of Cadet, was on our streets Friday.

Mr. Eugene Dallen spent Friday last in St. Louis.

Mrs. Sarah Johnson is visiting kindred at Bismarck.

Mr. W. E. Tedder of Belgrade was in Potosi Tuesday.

Mr. E. J. Hicks, of Caledonia, was in Potosi on Friday last.

Mrs. M. L. Townsend spent several days at Bismarck last week.

Miss Clara Bub visited in St. Louis the latter part of last week.

Miss Grace Strayer spent Saturday last with friends at Belgrade.

Miss Blanche Whitehead is visiting relatives in St. Louis this week.

Mr. T. S. White, of Cadet, was in Potosi several days of last week.

Miss Pauline Harris spent the latter part of last week with friends at Belgrade.

Miss Mattie Hornsey of Fredericktown is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Mrs. R. M. Fogg and Mrs. E. T. Fyresole are spending a couple of days in St. Louis.

Mrs. J. M. Sloan and Miss Mamie Smith spent last Thursday in St. Louis shopping.

Capt. and Mrs. W. T. Hunter left on Monday last for a week's visit to relatives at Berryville, Ark.

A little work along the roads these days with a split-log drag will help our highways a whole lot.

Mrs. Laura Berryman of St. Louis visited her sister, Mrs. Josie Waugh, here the first of the week.

Master Theodore Casey left last Thursday for a visit to his grandparents at Lexington, Ky.

The rainfall this spring has been unusually heavy, according to the measurements by rain gauges.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bates, of Waynesville, Mo., are visiting relatives and friends at this place.

Mrs. Lizzie Richeson and daughter, Miss Lizzabelle visited relatives at Hematite a few days last week.

Mrs. Emily Hornsey left one day last week for Alton, Ill., where she will study the profession of a trained nurse.

Mrs. J. W. Andes of Belgrade returned home on Friday last from a visit of several weeks to relatives in St. Louis.

Grand Band Concert at the Opera House on Saturday evening, May, 30th by the Boone Terre Colored Band; admission—25c.

Mrs. H. E. Olive and little daughter of Englewood, Kan., are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. L. Livingston.

Mrs. Minnie Hutchinson, who has been visiting relatives at Shreveport, La., for some time returned home last Saturday evening.

Louis Anderson will open an ice-cream garden to the public this, Wednesday evening. Ice-cream, sodawater, etc., served regularly.

Lead is holding its own at \$4.15 per hundred. Since the rise in the market began considerable lead ore is being hauled to Potosi for shipment.

Home-grown strawberries are now on the market. The berries, like those shipped in from the south, are not up to the usual standard this year.

The highway engineer in Iron county asked the court to raise his salary from \$600 to \$1,000 a year, and on refusal gave up the job and the office is now vacant.

Miss Latty Whitehead left Monday afternoon for St. Louis, where she will meet the family of Mr. W. S. Townsend, and accompany them to San Antonio, Tex.

Only a short time still remains in which candidates can file their declaration to run for office. So those whose friends are urging them to run had better get busy.

Miss Eva Plank entertained her classmates in the tenth grade at our school on last Monday evening in a very pleasant manner. All present had a very enjoyable time.

Messrs. H. C. Bell, E. M. Dearing, I. A. Letcher and Jeff Higginbotham are attending the Democratic State convention held at Jefferson City, as delegates from this county.

Potosi's public schools close this week. The pupils of the High School will give their annual closing entertainments at the Opera House on next Thursday and Friday evenings.

Mrs. Geo. W. Hess and little son of St. Louis are visiting Mrs. Hess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Wood, of this place. They are accompanied by Mrs. Helen Feldman, also of St. Louis.

Charles Nelson, a veteran of the civil war, whose home is in this city, received 68 cents from the government as a part of the pay due him when he was discharged in 1865. Mr. Nelson got the check last Saturday.

DeSoto Republican.

Twenty quart milk tickets for \$1.00; 20 pint milk tickets for 50 cents.

Geo. Deering.

Mr. Jas. C. Portell of Old Mines was on our streets Tuesday.

County Treasurer N. F. Robinson spent several days at Court in the past week.

One new candidate this week, and there are still several others for which no announcement has been made.

There is a greater profusion of roses in bloom here this spring than we have had for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hodgen very pleasantly entertained a few of their young friends last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Laura Asber of St. Louis, formerly of Mineral Point, was in Potosi Monday and added her name to our subscription list.

"Our Girls in Camp," the drama given at Belgrade on last Friday evening was enjoyed by a large audience of that locality, and the company had a very enjoyable trip to our neighboring town.

Mr. Austin Green, of Caledonia, was in Potosi on Friday last. Mr. Green is the pioneer orchardist of this county, and reports that the outlook in his apple orchard at present is favorable for about half a crop.

Peoria is a new postoffice recently established on Big River, about four miles west of Belgrade, in the locality generally known as Council Bluffs. J. M. Goforth is the postmaster. The mail will be carried there daily from Belgrade.

In an altercation over wages, Gus Weitz, a miner, assaulted Stephen Bell, a mining captain, with a knife, at the Derby Shaft, in Flat River, on Wednesday last. Bell was cut several times and severely hurt. Weitz made his escape after the fight.

The remains of the little child of Will Nicholson of Belgrade were brought to Potosi on Friday last for burial in the Catholic cemetery. The child died on Thursday after having been ill for some time. We extend the bereaved parents our sympathy in their loss.

The Federal Lead company this week started fourteen diamond drills. Most of the drills were placed near the works, but some of them were taken into the hills toward Farmington. Work underground was also resumed at shaft No. 1 and the Theodore shaft.—Farmington News.

Thursday morning, May 14th, John A. Tuttle, Steward at Hospital No. 4 at Farmington, while attempting to board a morning train at Bismarck, broke his left leg above the ankle. He was taken to Josephine Hospital at St. Louis where the broken limb was set. He will likely recover with a useful limb.

A country telephone line taking in Mineral Point and Hopewell neighborhoods and extending to Potosi is being built. Dr. J. P. Townsend is one of the principal promoters of the line, which will not have connection with the Potosi central service, but will have the Bell long distance service connection.

The Methodists at Mineral Point are rebuilding their church, which was blown down in a windstorm about a year ago. The walls of the new building have been made of concrete, and will otherwise be more substantial than the old church. There is also a plan on foot to build a Catholic church at the Point.

The case against Jim Harris, charged with the murder of Dan Sparks at Elvins in January, 1905, was dismissed in the circuit court at Farmington last week when it came up for trial. It seems there was an insufficiency of evidence upon which to prosecute the case, as one of the principal witnesses against Harris had died since the killing. Dan Sparks was a former resident of this locality and was well known here.

The funeral of the late Austin Northcutt took place on last Thursday afternoon and was attended by a large number of relatives and friends of the deceased. Services were held at the Presbyterian church. Mr. Northcutt was a member in good standing in the Potosi camp M. W. of A., and was insured in the order for \$1000. His death is the first among the members of this camp since it was organized some thirteen years ago.

We this week announce the candidacy of Phil C. Eaves of Mineral Point as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Assessor. Mr. Eaves is a native of this county and a son of John Eaves, one of our old and best-known citizens and steadfast Republicans, and the young man has thus received his political faith by inheritance. He is capable and competent to fill the duties of the office he seeks, and has many friends who are anxious to nominate and elect him.

There was an exciting time at DeSoto on last Friday night when a crowd of hoodlums attacked a number of Italians at the Iron Mountain Railroad station there and injured several of them badly. The mob used rocks and clubs, and had it not been for the interference of citizens loss of life probably would have resulted. The Italians were being shipped to Hopewell to assist in laying track, but boarded the wrong train out of Union Station in St. Louis, and were compelled to wait over there all night.

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Messrs. Jacob Yount and Andrew L. Johnson from out Courts are here in Potosi Tuesday proving up their homestead claims.

Mr. L. J. Bone has traded his farm property for a 100-foot lot in the Townsend addition with Jas. A. Shields & Son. Mr. Bone has put his lot under fence and may build a house there.

Wm. Kost, a carpenter living at Sullivan, attempted suicide on Wednesday last by swallowing two ounces of chloroform. A stomach pump and vigorous treatment saved his life however.

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About a year ago the Register printed an item telling of a wren building her nest in the roof of the wagon of John Newman, the valley gardener, and hatching five little wrens therein, notwithstanding the wagon made two trips to Graniteville, six miles away, every week. Mr. Newman tells us that again this spring a wren—presumably the same bird—has taken up her abode in the roof of the wagon and there are now five tiny brown speckled eggs in the nest. When the wagon goes out on its trip the mother wren flies away, but always meets it promptly on the return and abides in the nest until another journey is made. Without an accident there will be five more wrens in the roof of the old market wagon in a few more days.—Ironton Register.

Peoria.
Our farmers say corn is very much "on the bum," because of so much rain.

Mrs. John Barger was visiting in this vicinity last week.

Our new postoffice is now established and proceeding very nicely.

Mrs. Laurabelle Ramsey visited here last week.

Mrs. Henry Farley is an the sick list this week.

The birthday social at the home of Mrs. M. E. Goforth one evening last week was a success; but John says it was not so for him, because they took him to the creek and ducked him.

Alfred Horton, who was hurt recently by a fall with his horse, is said to be getting along nicely, and will soon be about again.

Lonesome Bill is better this week. I wish you could all see him, he is pretty as a peach. LONESOME BILL.

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